



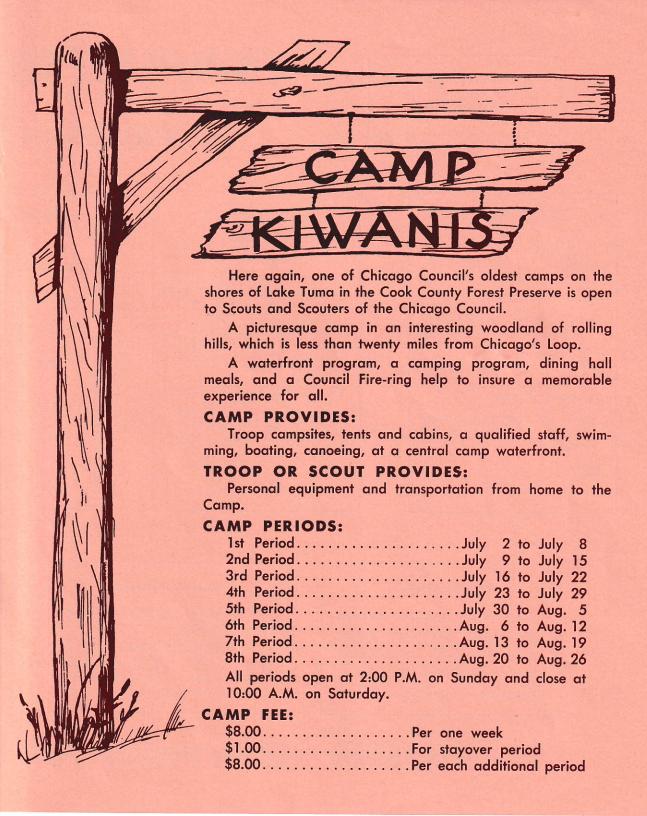
The Chicago Council, Camping & Activities Committee take pleasure in announcing the interesting Camping opportunities on Council-owned campsites for the 1950 Camping season.

As you check through the folder you can pick the type of camping experience you think you and your Scout Buddies are prepared to handle. Here are a number of challenging experiences—for a real Scout.

- a. An overnight canoe trip on a famous logging stream in the Manistee National Forest—you pack a Wanigan box containing steaks, eggs, bacon, and cocoa or anything your troop chooses. Eat supper and breakfast alongside the historic White River.
- b. An overnight hike to "the hole-in-the-woods" or Deer Meadow or Headwater of the Silver Creek or push your way back into the wilds of the Cleveland Creek and spot the Beaver Dam.
- c. Help to blaze new trails into new areas where our Scouts have not already been.

Be the first to sign up in your troop!

ROBERT O. BUEHLER Chairman
Camping & Activities



GET YOUR TROOP TO SHOW THE OWASIPPE MOVIES

CAMP FEES A Owasippe S

PLAN No. 1

CAMPS:

Beard, Stuart, West, and Blackhawk.

CAMP PROVIDES:

Improved campsite, tent, cots, showers, dining hall meals, staff, latrine, boats, canoes, administration service, lantern, pails.

TROOP PROVIDES:

Unit and Patrol Leadership, personal equipment, planned program.

FEE:

Base Fee \$27.00.

PLAN No. 2

CAMP WILDERNESS

CAMP PROVIDES:

Improved campsite, store with limited stock, dining hall and kitchen (big enough for 32 persons), small stove, small staff, adirondack shacks (hold 6 persons each), well, latrine, cooking utensils, boats, canoes, cots.

TROOP PROVIDES:

Food, ice, program, leadership, fuel, eating utensils (dishes and silverware), personal equipment.

FEE:

Base Fee \$5.00.

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1st Period - July

2nd Period-July

3rd Period—July

4th Period-Aug

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EXTRA PERIODS

SPECIAL CHARGE

Troops arriving ahead of scheduled period opening must inform Camping Service and pay the sum of 50c per day or fraction thereof, per person plus standard rate for any meals.

TRANSPORTATION

Round Trip—Chicago to Scout Siding and return: \$7.00.

NO REFUNDS ARE MADE FOR UN-USED PORTION OF TRANSPORTA-TION. (It costs us the same whether you ride both ways or not.)

REGISTER YOUR TROOP FOR (

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CAMP SAVINGS FUND CARDS ARE READY—GET ONE FROM YOUR LEADER

TES FOR

3 to July 15

17 to July 29

31 to Aug. 12

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\$25.00 Each

PLAN No. 3

CAMP PIONEER AND HIAWATHA BEACH

CAMP PROVIDES:

Improved campsite, dining hall and kitchen, troop latrine, pump, tents, cots, pier, 2 canoes, 2 boats, cooking and eating utensils.

TROOP PROVIDES:

Food, ice, program, leadership, lantern, pails, kerosene, fuel, personal equipment.

FEE:

Base Fee \$3.00.

PLAN No. 4

WHITE RIVER LUMBER CAMP

CAMP PROVIDES:

Improved campsite, dining hall, troop latrine, pump, 2 canoes, 2 boats.

TROOP PROVIDES:

Food, ice, program, leadership, fuel, stove, lantern, pails, tents, cots, personal equipment.

FEE:

Base Fee \$1.50.

LEADERSHIP

At all camps adult (21 years of age or over) leadership is required. Units by virtue of large attendance and entitled to additional leaders may use Asst. Scoutmasters 18 years of age or over for 2nd or 3rd leaders in camp.

NOTE

If you would like to work out a special arrangement to come at any time and stay as long as you can, contact Camping Service and your problem will receive special treatment. It is assumed you would provide your own transportation as part of the above.

CAMP AS SOON AS POSSIBLE!



♠ Each Camp maintains a small Trading Post (store) where film, toilet articles, candy, and soda pop can be secured each day.

IT IS EXPECTED

- Each Scout to take his turn at washing dishes and in the serving of meals for the table at which his Patrol is sitting.
- Each Scout and Troop is expected to share in camp cleaning responsibilities as well as housekeeping around his own tent and adjacent areas.

Final instructions are sent to each Scout and Unit when board fees are paid.

SPECIAL NOTE: Boys who are under medical care requiring nursing or regular applications for diabetes, arthritis, rheumatic fever, and hay fever should not be sent to Camp when their condition is serious. In minor cases medicinal requirements needed by the boy for the above named illnesses must be provided by the boy. The Camp is in no position to furnish medical supplies of that nature.

Owasippe Provides

FOOD:

- In a central dining hall, meals are prepared from the finest quality food and in a reasonable portion.
- The menu is prepared in the diet kitchens of the Chicago Board of Education.

WATERFRONT SAFETY:

- American Red Cross trained and Boy Scout trained waterfront directors operate waterfronts at each Camp.
- Scout Aquatic Schools prepare our waterfront people for canoeing, rowing, and similar small craft skills.
- The Owasippe Camps have maintained a 39year waterfront safety record in which no serious accident has happened.

HEALTH AND MEDICAL:

- Medical officers are stationed in each of the large camps under the supervision of a physician and surgeon.
- 2. A retired physician and surgeon has been retained by the camps for the entire season to supervise medical re-checks and it is he who will make the decisions whether a boy requires hospitalization.

 The Hackley Hospital in Muskegon has a working arrangement with the Owasippe Scout Camps as to receive emergency cases. We believe this hospital to be one of the finest equipped hospitals in cities the size of Muskegon.

GENERAL SAFETY:

The famous Boy Scout Buddy System is employed on waterfront work as well as overnight hikes and any other outdoor activity.
 This plan embodies that no boy be alone in the water or alone on a hike.

SLEEPING FACILITIES:

Sleeping facilities consist of four boy tents containing two double deck cots, kerosene lantern, and pail. At Camp Wilderness the sleeping facilities consist of Adirondack shacks holding six boys.

CAMP CHAPLAINS:

A Protestant Minister, Jewish Rabbi, and a Catholic Priest are on hand to administer to the religious needs of each boy. Sunday services are held—to which you are invited—Catholic Mass is held each morning for Catholic boys.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Transportation

OWASIPPE SCOUT CAMPS:

Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad (Pere Marquette Division).

FARE: \$7.00 for the Round Trip. A recent rail fare increase makes this necessary. If the excise tax is removed, this fare will be adjusted.



BAGGAGE: Each Scout or person traveling by train can take with them into the coach car a suitcase and bedroll—any heavy items can be checked in the baggage car. At the end of the train trip, baggage is transported by truck to the respective camp. We take every reasonable care with such baggage—should any be lost or damaged we cannot accept responsibility nor be charged for its replacement. (This exceptionally low fare for round trip of over 400 miles allows no money to cover such contingencies.)

TROOP EQUIPMENT: Can be checked in baggage car.

TICKETS: All fares must be paid one month in advance and should be paid at the time the balance of the board fee is paid. There is no refund for unused portion of ticket—it costs us the same whether you use the ticket both ways or one way.

CAMP KIWANIS:

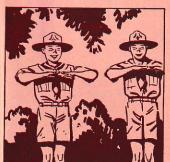
Transportation to Camp Kiwanis is by private car or the Bluebird Bus Lines ($1\frac{1}{2}$ mile hike from bus stop).

WHAT CAMPERS SHOULD BRING

In every case—regardless of which camp a Scout attends, he should be sure to bring the following:

Mosquito Netting
3 Wool Blankets (about 10 lbs.)
Pajamas
Scout Uniform
Swim Suit
Change of Underwear
Extra Stockings
Towels

Soap Toothbrush Toothpaste Raincoat Sweater Scout Handbook Advancement Record Comb



PHYSICAL EXAMINATION

Each camper must file, on entering any camp, a Health History and Physical Examination Report (form available) properly filled out by his parents and physician. Required forms are available at the Camping Service.



CAMP REGISTRATION PROCEDURE

TROOP REGISTRATION:

Notify your Scoutmaster you would like to go to Camp. He then will make a reservation for the troop at the Camp selected for the period desired—paying a \$2.00 reservation fee for each boy going to Camp. A troop reservation card is made available for each unit in the Camp packet mailed to each troop. Troop reservations will be accepted at the Camping and Activities Service beginning with February 1, 1950—and reservations must be

made prior to June 1st. (Unit Leaders: Check to see which period your District plans to attend Camp—although you may attend the camp of your choice as well as the period you desire.)

REGISTRATION FEE: \$2.00 per person (and applies against the camp fee)

SCOUT REGISTRATION:

Fill in a Scout application blank—check the camp and period desired—and add \$2.00—turn in to your Scoutmaster. If your troop is not going, bring or mail to the Camping Service at Boy Scout Headquarters anytime after February 1st and before June 1st. Pay your full Board Fee at least one month prior to Camp—there is no notification sent or given—it is assumed as you know the period and camp you have registered for; you can make the proper payment of the balance without additional notification.

REGISTRATION FEE: \$2.00 per person (and applies against your camp fee)

NOTE: If in the opinion of the camp authorities, attendance at any camp for any given period is insufficient to keep the camp open—the camp will be closed and the Scout will be provided accommodation at an adjacent camp of equivalent value. Scouts who choose to return home or not attend will be given the minimum refund of their Board Fee. Note the Board Fee refund schedule on the Camp application.

YOUR DISTRICT GOES TO OWASIPPE

CAMP	1st Period	2nd Period	3rd Period	4th Period
BEARD	Trailblazer Lakeview	Arrowhead	Indian Boundary	Portage Iroquois
STUART	Stock Yard Tri Ridge	Northwest Burr Oak	Northwest Northwest	South Town South West
WEST	South Shore	Greater Roseland	Lake Shore	Calumet
BLACKHAWK	Midwest	South Central	Forest Austin	Cicero